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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.112

Sir:

Applicant notes that the Office Action Summary of March 26, 2008 shows checkmarks on both the “final action” and “non-final action” boxes. As this action follows a pre-appeal brief review and references new art, the action is non-final.

Further, the undersigned notes that at the time of appeal, the application included claims 1 and 5-13. The Office Action Summary of March 26, 2008 shows action on claims 1 and 6-13. It appears from page 3 of the office action that claim 6 was considered. Since all claims remain in the application, the applicant requests consideration of claims 1 and 5-13.

In response to the Office Action mailed March 26, 2008, applicant requests reconsideration of the claimed invention without further amendment.

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